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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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For: FENESTRATED PERIPHERAL NERVE BLOCK  
NEEDLE AND METHOD FOR USING THE  
SAME

Examiner: Victoria P. Campbell

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Dear Examiner Campbell:

This correspondence is responsive to the final Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 9, 2009. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, please continue examination and amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

**Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.